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Response to Amendment

1. The amendment filed on December 21, 2007 canceling all claims drawn to the elected invention of Group II, original claim 7 and presenting only claims drawn to a *non-elected invention* is non-responsive (MPEP § 821.03). The remaining claims are not readable on the elected invention because they are drawn to toner or developer of a non-elected invention of Group IV, original claims 10-11, and to an aqueous emulsion or dispersion of a non-elected invention of Group V, original claims 12-14.

Since the above-mentioned amendment appears to be a *bona fide* attempt to reply, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing date of this notice within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) ARE AVAILABLE.

Conclusion

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Timothy Meeks can be reached on 571-272-142323. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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